

**CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
SITE DESIGNATION COMMITTEE
RESOLUTION NO. 97-16
DECEMBER 11, 1997
HUMBOLDT ROAD BURN DUMP, CHICO, CA**

WHEREAS, Chapter 6.65 of the Health and Safety Code, commencing with Section 25260 establishes a Site Designation Committee; and

WHEREAS, the Site Designation Committee may designate an Administering Agency to oversee a site investigation and remedial action at a hazardous materials release site upon request of a responsible party; and

WHEREAS, City of Chico, a responsible party as defined in Health and Safety Code Section 25260(h), requested the Site Designation Committee to designate an administering agency to oversee site investigation and remedial action at the Humboldt Road Burn Dump, at the intersection of Bruce Road and Humboldt Road, City of Chico, Butte County, California, more particularly, Assessor's Parcel Numbers 02-18-84, 02-18-86, 02-18-87, 02-18-88, 02-18-89, 02-18-95, 11-3-15, 11-3-16, 11-3-89, 11-3-111, 11-3-112, 11-3-129, 11-5-128 (site); and

WHEREAS, this site is a hazardous materials release site as defined in Health and Safety Code Section 25260; and

WHEREAS, the Site Designation Committee received the request for designation of an administering agency on October 8, 1997; and

WHEREAS, the Site Designation Committee held a meeting on December 11, 1997, and provided an opportunity at the meeting for public comment regarding the application; and

WHEREAS, the Site Designation Committee considered the application and furthermore, considered all factors and criteria set forth in Health and Safety Code Section 25262(c); and

WHEREAS, City of Chico agrees to reimburse appropriate agencies for their appropriate oversight costs and/or costs of permit development, where those agencies' significant involvement and/or permit development is necessary for the furtherance of the project goals; and

WHEREAS, the Site Designation Committee has determined that, based on consideration of all of the factors listed in Health and Safety Code Section 25262(c), the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region, is the appropriate agency to act as the administering agency.

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NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Site Designation Committee hereby designates the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region, as the administering agency for the site; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this designation is subject to the following conditions:

1. California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region, shall consult, on an ongoing basis, with all appropriate agencies who have expressed an interest in this site, including all agencies who would otherwise be issuing a permit or other form of authorization:
 - a) in administering all state and local laws which are applicable;
 - b) in determining the adequacy of site investigation and remedial action activities; and
 - c) prior to issuing any permit or other form of authorization.
2. Such consultation will also include notification if information becomes available to the administering agency that the original application was inaccurate or was incomplete.
3. If an advisory team is convened by the Site Designation Committee, a representative of the administering agency shall attend all advisory team meetings.
4. The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region, shall submit quarterly reports to the Site Designation Committee and to other appropriate agencies concerning the status of the investigation and/or remediation of the Site and shall comply with applicable public participation requirements.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned Chair of the Site Designation Committee does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the Site Designation Committee held in Sacramento, California on December 11, 1997.

DATED: 1/12/98



Val Siebal, Chair
Site Designation Committee